Independent Review of Disputed Claims

01/01/04 through 9/30/2004

Provider Types 3 Dental

16 Hospital5 Physician

2 Prescription Drug1 Transportation7 Undefined

Decisions 2 MCO

3 MCO in Part /Provider in Part1 Settled For MCO/Prov In Part

5 Provider16 Ineligible1 Pending6 Rescinded

Total Requests 34

Record Number642Date Recd1/9/2004Prov NameSamuel O. Okpaku, M.D., PHDProvider TypePhysician

MCO Name Premier Behavioral Systems of Tennesee, LLC

Claim Descr denied for timely

Decision MCO in Part /Provider in **Date** 3/15/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$531.00

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number643Date Recd1/21/2004Prov NameSeton Medical CenterProvider TypeHospital

MCO Name Better Health Plans, Inc

Claim Descr denied for lack of prior authorization

Decision Ineligible Date 2/10/2004 Amount Awarded \$0.00

Eligibility Ineligible Code Type None

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Record Number644Date Recd3/3/2004Prov NameKnoxville-Knox County CACProvider TypeUndefined

MCO Name Premier Behavioral Systems of Tennesee, LLC

Claim Descr

Decision Provider **Date** 5/4/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$105,356.00

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number645Date Recd2/20/2004Prov NamePrecision HealthcareProvider TypeUndefined

MCO Name Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care

Claim Descr Initially sparked from a 2003 provider complaint (see record 2003.148.09). The MCO reprocessed all claims except for 1. That claim

had been billed at the wrong amount but was paid before the error was caught. The MCO recouped the whole amount. The provider refiled correctly and the claim has been outstanding. Through communication with the MCO, as of 3/4/04, the MCO has reprocessed

the claim for payment.

Decision Rescinded **Date** 3/4/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number646Date Recd3/4/2004Prov NameSweetwater Hospital Assoc.Provider TypeHospital

MCO Name Preferred Health Partnership of Tennessee, Inc.

Claim Descr member ineligible

Decision Provider Date 5/7/2004 Amount Awarded \$414.00

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number647Date Recd3/4/2004Prov NameSweetwater Hospital Assoc.Provider TypeUndefined

MCO Name Volunteer State Health Plan, Inc.

Claim Descr denied stating member had other coverage

Decision Rescinded **Date** 3/12/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

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Record Number648Date Recd3/4/2004Prov NameSweetwater Hospital Assoc.Provider TypeUndefined

MCO Name Preferred Health Partnership of Tennessee, Inc.

Claim Descr denied for timely

Decision Provider **Date** 4/26/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$3,150.00

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number649Date Recd3/1/2004Prov NameBrookstone Women's HealthcareProvider TypeUndefined

MCO Name Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care

Claim Descr On 3/17/04, a check was issued to the provider from the MCO in the amount of 12085.23. The IR reviewer calculated the amount paid to only cover 35% of the claims and ruled that the MCO

should pay all of the claims currently unpaid.

Decision Provider **Date** 4/22/2004 **Amount Awarded** N/A

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number650Date Recd3/11/2004Prov NameCenter for Oral and Facial SurgeryProvider TypeDental

MCO Name

Better Health Plans, Inc

Claim Descr

out of network provider

Decision Ineligible **Date** 3/12/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00

Eligibility Ineligible Code Type None

Record Number651Date Recd3/15/2004Prov NameSt. Marys Ambulatory Surgery CenterProvider TypeHospital

MCO Name Preferred Health Partnership of Tennessee, Inc.

Claim Descr

Decision Ineligible **Date** 3/15/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00

Eligibility Ineligible Code Type None

Ineligible Because:

Independent review outdated form, resubmitted 2nd time 3/26/04, ineligible b/c missing denial

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Record Number	652		Date Recd	3/26/2004	
Prov Name	Pharmathera		Provider Type	Prescription	Drug
MCO Name	Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care				
Claim Descr					
Decision	Ineligible	Date 3/26/2004	Amount Awarded \$0.00		\$0.00
Eligibility	Ineligible	Code Type None			
	Ineligible Because: More than 365 days has passed since the MCO 1st denial and the request				
Record Number	653		Date Recd	3/26/2004	
Prov Name	Pharmathera		Provider Type	Prescription	Drug
MCO Name	Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care				
Claim Descr	denied for being too much medicine, FEESC and SRTDI				
Decision	MCO in Part /Provider in	Date 5/28/2004	Amount Awarded \$6,817.02		\$6,817.02
Eligibility	Eligible	Code Type None			
Record Number	654		Date Recd	3/24/2004	
Prov Name	The Surgical Clinic, PLLC		Provider Type	Hospital	
MCO Name	Xantus Healthplan of Tennessee, Inc.				
Claim Descr					
Decision	Ineligible	Date 3/30/2004	Amount Awarded \$0.00		\$0.00
Eligibility	Ineligible	Code Type None			
Record Number	655		Date Recd	3/31/2004	
Prov Name	Palmyra Health Care		Provider Type	Hospital	
MCO Name	Volunteer State Health Plan, Inc.				
Claim Descr					
Decision	MCO	Date 6/15/2004	Amount Awarded		\$0.00

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Code Type None

Eligibility

Eligible

Record Number Date Recd 656 4/2/2004 **Prov Name** Regional Orthopaedic Health Care **Provider Type** Physician **MCO Name** Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care Claim Descr denied for no authorization Decision Ineligible **Date** 4/6/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 **Eligibility** Code Type None Ineligible Record Number 657 **Date Recd** 4/21/2004 **Prov Name Provider Type** Physician Regional Orthopaedic Health Care MCO Name Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care Claim Descr denied for no authorization Decision **Date** 5/4/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 Rescinded Eligibility Eligible Code Type None Record Number 658 **Date Recd** 4/29/2004 **Prov Name** Air Evac EMS Inc **Provider Type** Transportation MCO Name Better Health Plans, Inc Claim Descr insufficient documentation to support the medical need for this service Decision Ineligible **Date** 5/6/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 **Eligibility** Code Type None Ineligible **Date Recd** 659 5/4/2004

Record Number **Prov Name** UT Bowld Hospital Provider Type Hospital

MCO Name Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care

Claim Descr did not meet the criteria for organ transplant

Decision **Date Amount Awarded** \$0.00 Ineligible

Eligibility Code Type None Ineligible

> Ineligible Because: outdated form

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Record Number **Date Recd** 660 5/5/2004 **Prov Name** Sweetwater Hospital Assoc. **Provider Type** Hospital MCO Name Preferred Health Partnership of Tennessee, Inc. Claim Descr claim paid and recouped stating it should be paid by medicare Decision Rescinded Date 6/2/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 **Eligibility** Eligible Code Type None Record Number **Date Recd** 5/10/2004 661 **Prov Name** Dale B. Pittenger, DDS Provider Type Dental MCO Name Doral Dental Claim Descr claims submitted electronically, doral refusing to pay b/c of a problem with the electronic claims submission process Decision Date 7/9/2004 **Amount Awarded** Provider \$73,260.00 **Eligibility** Eligible Code Type None **Date Recd** Record Number 662 5/5/2004 Sweetwater Hospital Assoc. **Prov Name** Provider Type Hospital **MCO Name** Tennessee Behavioral Health, Inc. Claim Descr denied as ineligible Decision Rescinded **Date** 6/2/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 **Eligibility** Eligible Code Type None Record Number **Date Recd** 663 5/5/2004 **Prov Name** Provider Type Hospital Sweetwater Hospital Assoc. MCO Name Preferred Health Partnership of Tennessee, Inc. Claim Descr claim paid and recouped stating it should be paid by medicare Decision Rescinded Date 6/2/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 **Eligibility** Code Type None Eligible Record Number 664 Date Recd 5/11/2004 **Prov Name** Access Medical Billing **Provider Type** Undefined MCO Name John Deere Health Plan, Inc. Claim Descr

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Amount Awarded

\$0.00

Date 5/20/2004

Code Type None

Decision

Eligibility

Ineligible

Ineligible

Record Number665Date Recd5/19/2004Prov NameCenter for Oral and Facial SurgeryProvider TypeDental

MCO Name
Better Health Plans, Inc
Claim Descr
out of network provider

Decision MCO in Part /Provider in **Date** 7/26/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$1,249.38

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number666Date Recd5/20/2004Prov NameUT Bowld HospitalProvider TypeHospital

MCO Name Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care

Claim Descr not authorized

Decision MCO **Date** 7/20/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number667Date Recd5/28/2004Prov NameMethodist HospitalProvider TypeHospital

MCO Name Memphis Managed Care Corporation/TLC Family Care

Claim Descr denied for timely

Decision Ineligible Date 6/8/2004 Amount Awarded \$0.00

Eligibility Ineligible Code Type None

Record Number668Date Recd6/7/2004Prov NameHenry County Medical CenterProvider TypeUndefined

MCO Name Volunteer State Health Plan, Inc.

Claim Descr

Decision Ineligible **Date** 6/16/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00

Eligibility Ineligible Code Type None

Ineligible Because:

Non-compliant/ineligible for several reasons. Approval on non-compliant notice form was needed before allowed to process. Form

approved 6/15/04. Non-compliant form went out via fax 6/15/04, via mail 6/16/04.

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Record Number **Date Recd** 669 6/10/2004 **Prov Name** Methodist Hospital **Provider Type** Hospital MCO Name Better Health Plans, Inc Claim Descr denied for timely Decision Ineligible **Date** 6/17/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 **Eligibility** Code Type None Ineligible Ineligible Because: Outdated form, past 365 day from 1st denial Record Number **Date Recd** 6/16/2004 670 **Prov Name** Methodist Healthcare Provider Type Hospital MCO Name Premier Behavioral Systems of Tennesee, LLC Claim Descr Denied for not being within the range of mental health codes Decision **Date** 6/23/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 Ineligible **Eligibility** Ineligible Code Type None Ineligible Because: Use of outdated form, missing copy of claim and reconsideration request. Record Number 671 **Date Recd** 7/8/2004 **Prov Name** S.K. Ganguli, M.D. **Provider Type** Physician **MCO Name** OmniCare Health Plan, Inc. Claim Descr Denied for having other coverage Decision Ineligible Date 7/8/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 Eligibility Ineligible Code Type None Ineligible Because: Use of outdated form, passed 365 days on 2/3 DOS Record Number 672 **Date Recd** 7/12/2004 **Prov Name** Westside GI Specialists **Provider Type** Physician MCO Name Preferred Health Partnership of Tennessee, Inc. Claim Descr Denied for having other coverage Decision Ineligible **Date** 7/13/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00 **Eligibility** Ineligible Code Type None

> Ineligible Because: Use of outdated form

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Record Number673Date Recd7/15/2004Prov NameMethodist HealthcareProvider TypeHospital

MCO Name Premier Behavioral Systems of Tennesee, LLC

Claim Descr Denied for diagnosis code not covered

Decision Ineligible **Date** 7/19/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$0.00

Eligibility Ineligible Code Type None

Ineligible Because:

Use of outdated form, no proof of initial claim, no initial denial etc.

Record Number674Date Recd8/9/2004Prov NameMethodist HealthcareProvider TypeHospital

MCO Name Premier Behavioral Systems of Tennesee, LLC

Claim Descr Denied for not being within the range of mental health codes

Decision Settled For MCO/Prov In **Date** 9/3/2004 **Amount Awarded** \$2,707.74

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

Record Number675Date Recd8/23/2004Prov NameLeBonheur Children's Medical CenterProvider TypeHospital

MCO Name Better Health Plans, Inc
Claim Descr no prior authorization

DecisionPendingDateAmount Awarded\$0.00

Eligibility Eligible Code Type None

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